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SUBJ: PERIMETER WALL PROJECT, EMBASSY COMPOUND, ISLAMABAD

1. RSO REQUESTS TWO DESIGN CHANGES BE AUTHORIZED TO PRESENT WALL CONSTRUCTION PLAN.
2. FIRST DESIGN CHANGE IS THE ADDITION OF A PEDESTRIAN ACCESS GATE INCLUDING STAIRS BETWEEN GRID LICE 15 AND 16 ON FBO SECURITY SYSTEMS PROJECT DRAWING AL. THIS GATE SHOULD BE 4 FEET WIDE AND CONSTRUCTED IN SAME DESIGN AS CALLED FOR OTHER GATES IN PROJECT.
3. SECOND DESIGN CHANGE IS THE ADDITION OF A VEHICLE GATE AT THE SOUTH END OF PROPERTY BETWEEN GRID LINES A AND B, SAME DRAWING INDICATED IN PARA 2. THIS GATE WILL BE SAME DESIGN AND DIMENSIONS AS GATE NUMBER 2.
4. THE ADDITIONAL VEHICLE GATE IS NECESSITATED AS IN 1976 AND ON MAY 6, 1977. THE EMBASSY COMPOUND WAS THE SCENE OF PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATIONS, WHICH ALTHOUGH ORDERLY, BLOCKED THE ONLY ACCESS TO THE COMPOUND. THE INSTALLATION OF THE VEHICLE GATE WILL BE THE ONLY ALTERNATE ACCESS AND EGRESS GATE FOR VEHICLES IN CASE OF FUTURE DEMONSTRATIONS OR OTHER DISORDERS. THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PEDESTRIAN GATE AS REQUESTED IN PARA 2, WILL ALLOW FOR BETTER CONTROL OF VISITORS DURING LARGE CLUB FUNCTIONS, AS VISITORS CAN PARK OUTSIDE THE PROPERTY AND ENTER THROUGH THAT GATE, RATHER THAN CAUSING CONGESTION AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE. THIS HAS BEEN A REPEATED PROBLEM

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DURING PAST LARGE OFFICIAL DIPLOMATIC FUNCTIONS.

5. THESE GATES WILL NOT NORMALLY BE OPENED BUT ONLY UTILIZED WHEN SPECIAL FUNCTIONS OR SECURITY CONDITIONS REQUIRE THEIR USE.
6. FBO PROJECT SUPERVISOR, AT THIS TIME, IS UNABLE TO OBTAIN AN ESTIMATED COST OF THESE ADDITIONS, AS YET UNABLE TO SECURE A STEEL

WORK CONTRACTOR. WHEN CONTRACTOR OBTAINED ESTIMATE WILL BE SUBMITTED.

7. AS WALL PROJECT IS UNDERWAY AND THESE SECTIONS OF WALLS WILL SHORTLY BE WORKED ON, CABLE AUTHORIZATION FOR CHANGES SHOULD BE SENT SOONEST.

8. POST MANAGEMENT DESIRES ABOVE ADDITIONS.
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